Survey conducted from 23 September to 31 October 2011:

Feedback from conference participants
Of the 711 participants, 218 contributed to this survey. A country statistics is available from [http://meetings.copernicus.org/ems2011](http://meetings.copernicus.org/ems2011).
How old are you?

- above 64: 2%
- below 25: 1%
- between 25 and 34: 39%
- between 35 and 44: 27%
- between 45 and 54: 19%
- between 55 and 64: 11%
- below 25: 1%
- above 64: 2%
Feedback: Participants – 3

How did you travel to Berlin?

- Air: 55%
- Train: 35%
- Other: 10%
Which of the EMS & ECAM Programme Groups are most relevant to you? (multiple answers possible)

- Applications of Meteorology: 46%
- The Atmospheric System and its Interactions: 49%
- Communication and education: 16%
- Numerical weather prediction: 35%
- Climate: 43%
Feedback: Programme – 1

How do you rate ...

the quality of the session programme?
- great: 47%
- it's ok: 49%
- could be worse: 4%

the attractiveness of poster sessions?
- forget it: 3%
- great: 16%
- it's ok: 59%
- could be worse: 22%
- could be worse: 8%

the attractiveness of plenary sessions?
- forget it: 1%
- great: 23%
- it's ok: 68%
- could be worse: 8%

the opportunities for exchange?
- forget it: 1%
- great: 39%
- it's ok: 50%
- could be worse: 10%
- could be worse: 10%
The number of paper submissions has been growing.
Do you prefer ...

- to increase the number of posters?
  - 34.2%

- to have more parallel sessions?
  - 65.8%
Do you think a printed programme book is necessary in future?

- yes: 74.9%
- no: 20.0%
- no opinion: 5.1%
How did you learn about the EMS & ECAM 2011?

- **40%** e-mail announcement
- **33%** through a colleague
- **32%** EMS Member Society
- **20%** website
- **14%** employer
- **5%** other

Feedback: Information Provision – 1
Feedback: Information Provision – 2

How do you rate the information provision through the conference site?

- great: 40.5%
- it's ok: 56.3%
- could be worse: 3.3%
... during the conference

Do you make use of the USB stick?

... after the conference

yes: 28%

no: 72%

yes: 74%

no: 26%
Did you visit one or more of the exhibition booths?

- yes: 47.6%
- no: 52.4%
If not, what was the reason?

- No time: 41%
- No interest: 64%
- Not conveniently located: 2%
- Too crowded: 16%
- Other: 1%